



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17, applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month extension of time from March 4, 2004 to April 5, 2004 to file a Response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2003.

Please charge the amount of \$55.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

If there are any additional charges with respect to this Extension of Time or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 maintained by Applicant's attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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